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7 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
8 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**  
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10 WELLS FARGO BANK NATIONAL  
11 ASSOCIATION,

12 Plaintiff(s),

13 v.

14 WOODWARD FAMILY TRUST, et al.

15 Defendant(s).

Case No. 2:16-cv-02449-GMN-NJK

ORDER

(Docket No. 47)

16 Pending before the Court is Plaintiff's motion to reopen discovery, filed on August 9, 2017.  
17 Docket No. 47. To date, no response has been filed. Based solely on the late appearance of some  
18 parties,<sup>1</sup> good cause exists to reopen discovery and the motion is **GRANTED**. The Court hereby **SETS**  
19 the discovery cutoff as December 7, 2017, the dispositive motion cutoff as January 7, 2018, and the  
20 deadline to file a joint proposed pretrial order as February 6, 2018 (or 30 days after a decision on any  
21 dispositive motion(s) filed). The deadlines to amend the pleadings, serve expert disclosures, and serve  
22 rebuttal expert disclosures remain closed.  
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26 <sup>1</sup> To be clear, the parties' self-imposed stay of discovery without Court approval and Defendants'  
27 counsel's apparent suspension after the close of discovery, Docket No. 47 at 5-6, do not create good cause  
28 to reopen discovery. Moreover, Plaintiff's request for relief related to the latter is improperly included in  
the motion to reopen discovery. *See* Local Rule IC 2-2(b). To the extent Plaintiff seeks any relief other than  
the reopening of discovery, it must file a proper motion seeking that relief.

1 The parties should use this additional time for discovery wisely, as the Court is not inclined to  
2 grant any further extensions.

3 IT IS SO ORDERED.

4 DATED: August 25, 2017

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7 NANCY J. KOPPE  
8 United States Magistrate Judge  
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